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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY BONN

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1. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EXIMBANK ON MARCH 4, 1974, AUTHORIZED  
A \$4,000,000 CREDIT TO SIEMENS A.G. TO FINANCE 40 PER CENT OF  
THE COST OF RCA COMPUTER EQUIPMENT.

2. TERMS CALL FOR THE BORROWER TO MAKE A CASH PAYMENT OF 20  
PER CENT OF THE COST OR \$2,000,000. THE BALANCE OF 40 PER  
CENT OR \$4,000,000 WILL BE EXTENDED BY BANK OF AMERICA AND  
WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED BY EXIMBANK. REPAYMENT IN TWO SCHEDULES  
OF 10 SEMIANNUALS EACH OCTOBER 5, 1974 AND OCTOBER 5,  
1975 RESPECTIVELY.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY ADVISE SIEMENS A.G. OF THIS ACTION, WHICH  
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WILL BE DETAILED IN LETTER TO SIEMENS A.G. WITH COPY TO EMBASSY.

FURTHER ADVISE BORROWER NEWS RELEASE INCLUDING ABOVE DETAILS  
SCHEDULED FOR ANNOUNCEMENT HERE NEXT FEW DAYS. EMBASSY WILL BE  
PROVIDED ADVANCE TEXT FOR THEIR INFORMATION PRIOR TO WASHINGTON  
RELEASE.

4. OTHER THAN DISCUSSION WITH BORROWER, IT IS IMPERATIVE ABOVE  
INFORMATION BE WITHHELD PRIOR TO SUBJECT PRESS RELEASE.  
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